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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

A. Ninjouji, et al.

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Examiner: C. Sherrer

For: Sparkling Low Alcoholic Beverage Sake And Producing Method Thereof

AMENDMENT

BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the official Office Action mailed August 1, 2003, (the time for response to which having been extended by virtue of a petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) and requisite fee filed herewith), in the matter of the above-identified application, kindly amend the same as follows: